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SUBJ: IRANIAN COMMENT ON SENATE COMMITTEE STUDY

1. ON DEC 22 MFA SPOKESMAN ADL GAVE STATEMENT TO THE PRESS COMMENTING ON US SENATE COMMISSION STUDY BY GOLD AND CONANT WHICH IMPLIED IRAN HAD BEEN GIVEN A US ASSIGNMENT TO INTERVENE IN AFFAIRS OF PERSIAN GULF STATES. IN PARTICULAR, ADL RAPPED PRESS STORIES IMPLYING THAT IRAN MIGHT ATTACK SAUDI ARABIA, SUGGESTING THIS WAS IN THE REALM OF SCIENCE FICTION FANTASY. WHILE SUCH FANTASY IS FREQUENTLY SEEN IN AMERICAN MAGAZINES AND TELEVISION PROGRAMS. ADL WAS QUOTED AS SAYING, IT IS SURPRISING AND DISTURBING TO FIND THAM CREEPING INTO CONGRESSIONAL REPORTS. HE NOTED THAT IRAN AND SAUDI ARABIA ARE FRIENDLY NEIGHBORING POWERS AND "DO NOT OPPOSE OR COUNTER EACH OTHER". QUOTING THE SHAH, ADL REPORTEDLY ADDED THAT IRAN WILL ONLY HELP FRIENDLY COUNTRIES WHEN THIS IS NECESSARY AND IN RESPONSE TO THEIR REQUESTS.

2. EMBASSY HAS PROVIDED FA COPY OF JACKSON COMMITTEE STATEMENT ON THIS STUDY WHICH WAS RELEASED DEC 20 AND REPORTED TO US BY USINFO BUT HAD NOT BEEN SEEN BY ADL AS OF DEC 26.

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